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METHODS AND KITS FOR IDENTIFYING ELITE

**EVENT GAT-ZM1 IN BIOLOGICAL SAMPLES** 

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<u>EXPEDITED PROCEDURE</u> <u>RESPONSE AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION</u> <u>UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116</u>

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## **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action mailed on November 9, 2004, setting a three-month period for reply. No fee is believed to be due for entry and consideration of this paper; however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any required fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.